



FIG.2
ADMINISTRATIVE PURCHASER/VENDOR INTERFACE

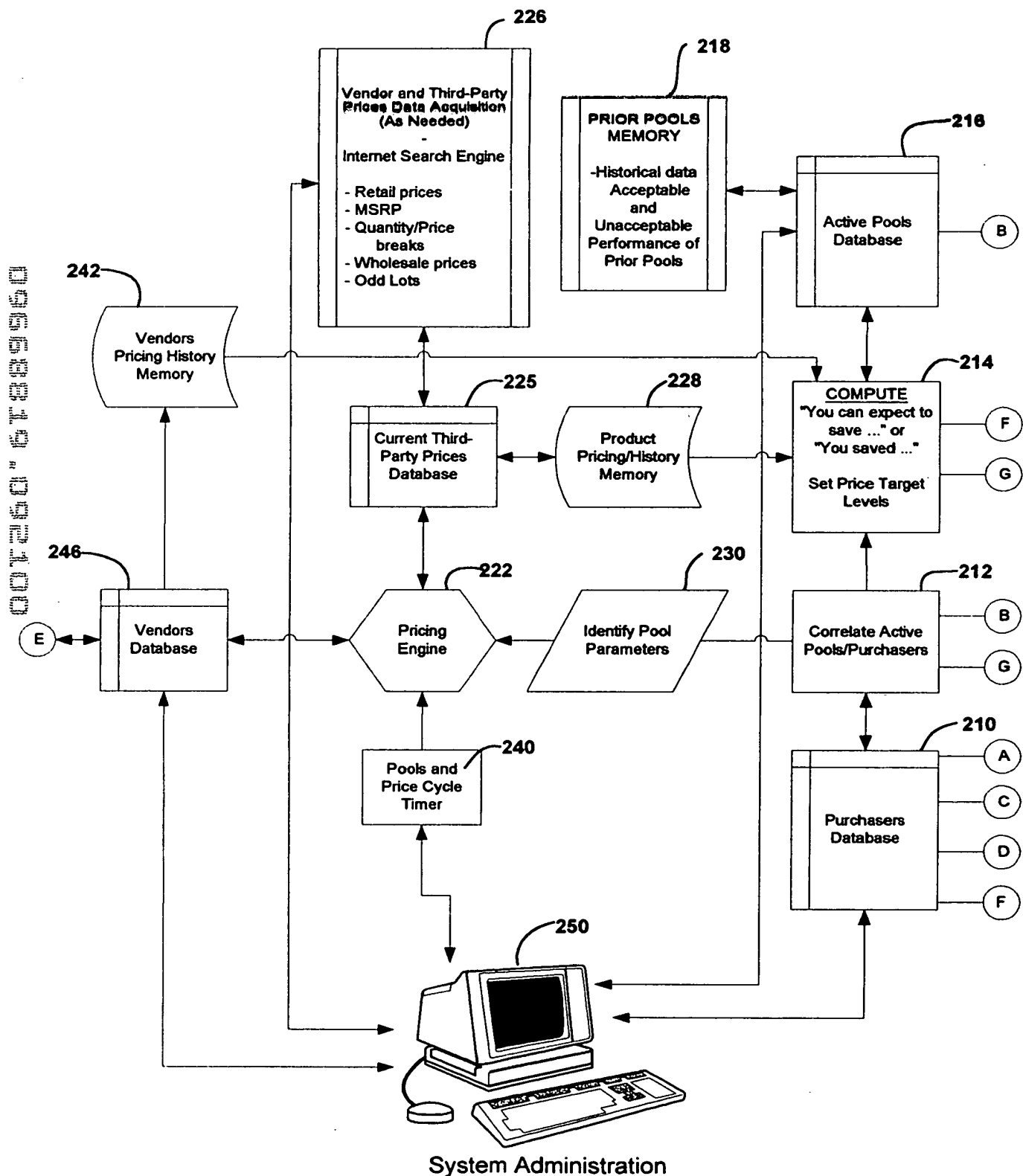


FIG. 3
PRICING PROCESS

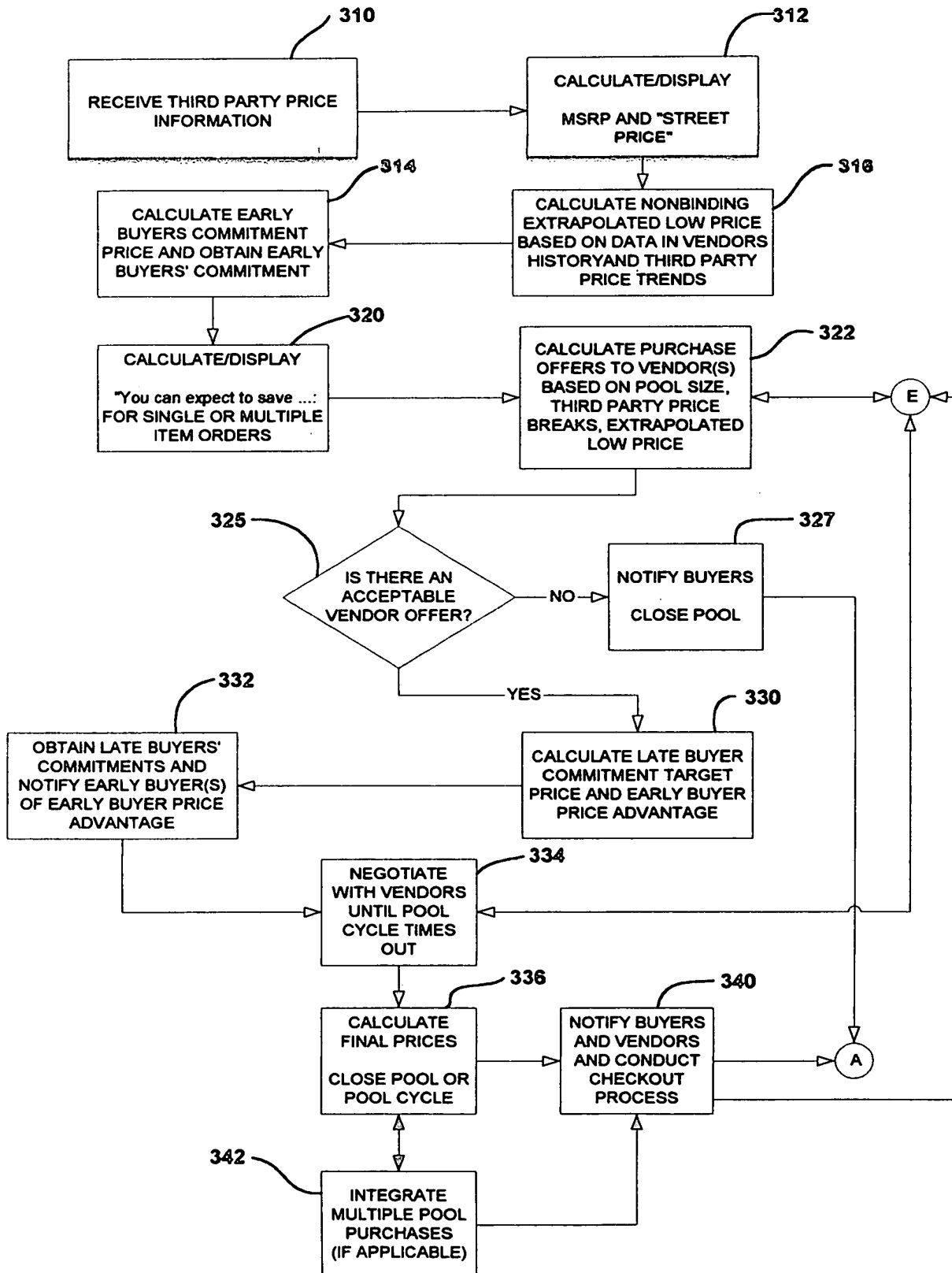


FIG. 5
VENDOR POOL FORMATION

